

1907

1912 Dates J-Ek

CHILIPANCINGO and CHILAPA,  
Mexico were destroyed by  
earthquake; great loss of life.

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Protocol was signed by Central American states for permanent peace.

Presidents of NICARAGUA, HONDURAS and SALVADOR declared for peace.

Feb. 20, 1907

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U.S.

REED SMOOT was sustained  
as a Senator by a Senate  
Vote of 51 to 37

Apr 26, 1907

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Opening of the Jamestown  
Tercentenary Exposition  
(Founded 300 yrs ago) (1607)

May 9, 1907

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Revelations of methods in  
the Colorado strikes of 1903 & 1904

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Captain MIKKELSON and MR. LEFFING-  
WELL reach  $71^{\circ} 17'$  n. lat.

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Steel cars both for passenger  
and for freight service  
come into extensive use.

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Steam engines are no longer  
used in elevated railway  
service in the U.S.



Feb 26, 1907

members of Congress raise their  
salaries to 7,500<sup>00</sup> / yr.

1998 - 133,500

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Jan 14/16.

Zionism

8th Zionist Congress

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The first trip of the "MAURETANIA"  
across the Atlantic took  
5 days 5 hr & 10 min = 5.2152777d  
(i.e. About 26 statute mi/hr)

Aug. 3, 1907

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The Standard Oil Co. was  
fined 29.24 M \$ for receiving  
rebates.

The judgement was set aside  
by U. S. Circuit of Appeals  
on July 22, 1908.

Oct. 16, 1907

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The first Philippine Legislative  
Assembly was opened.

Nov. 16 1907

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Oklahoma was admitted

Dec. 16, 1907

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The U.S. fleet started  
around the world.

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Austria-Hungary

Triple Alliance:



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Spain & Portugal  
Son was born to the  
King and Queen of Spain

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Germany  
Social Democrats  
lose 30 seats.

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Emper visited Germany  
London.

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Dr SVEN HEDIN in southern  
TIBET discovered many  
new lakes, rivers, and  
mountains.

Oct. 18, 1907

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Second meeting of the Hague  
Peace Conference

Nov 16, 1907

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Oklahoma became the 46<sup>th</sup>  
state of the Union

~~1881 failed~~ 1907 Nobel Prize

Edward W. Morley  
1838  
d 1923

Albert  
Abraham  
Michelson  
1852  
1931

Michelson's experiment on light involved:

- 1) A speeding 6 sided mirror
- 2) A tuning fork which carried a little mirror upon its vibrating arm whose time of vibration was accurately determined against a pendulum of an astronomical clock

With accuracy of about 1 part in  
1 million, they got 5 out of  
10 measurements over 3 yrs. with  
3 different rotating mirrors

Velocity of light in vacuum

Kilometers per second

Mount Wilson to Mt. San Antonio  
about 20 mi. and return  
twice of 8, 12, & 16 hrs.

A) 299,796

B) 299,798

C) 299,795

D) 299,796

E) 299,796

299,792.458 km/sec = 186,282 mi.  
sec



Feb 3, 1907

James Michener was born

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Immigration to the U.S. from Europe peaked in 1907. By 1910 14.8% of U.S. population is foreign born.

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A record 1.28 million immigrants  
poured into the US in 1907

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Indiana passed the first sterilization act based on Eugenic principles (vasectomy & tying Fallopian tubes) to replace castration as a punitive measure for certain sexual crimes.

It provided for sterilization of afflicted people residing in the state's care, either as inmates

3 mental hospitals & homes for the  
feebler minded as a substitute of prison  
for arson, robbery, murder: a measure  
& upon convicted rapists & criminals

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St Anthony's (Beaumont) was  
built replacing a former  
Church St Louis (also by  
Catholics)

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The United States gov't agreed to buy some planes from the Wright brothers. By this time their airplanes were staying in the air for over 3 hours at a time.